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In re Application of:

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MANUFACTURE METHOD
THEREFOR, LIQUID TANK
AND MANUFACTURE METHOD
THEREFOR, INK JET
APPARATUS AND
MANUFACTURE METHOD
THEREFOR, AND HEAD
CARTRIDGE AND IMAGE
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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,


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